

# THE BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

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## KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

### Condition of Crops and Live Stock December 1, 1896.

The report for December 1st is made up from replies from 151 correspondents and embraces 102 counties. The counties not reporting are Bath, Casey, Elliott, Fayette, Jackson, Johnson, Lee, Lincoln, Livingston, Martin, McLean, Ohio, Oldham, Pulaski, Spencer, Todd and Trimble.

#### WHEAT.

The unusually favorable condition for the wheat crop was maintained without interruption through November until the 28th. During that time the growth made was unprecedented for the season; a vigorous condition was firmly established. On November 28th a sudden and decided change in temperature occurred, bringing the mercury down to 13 degrees in many sections.

The reports on condition of growing crop give an average of 101. It may be well to mention that the form for the reports were in the hands of correspondents since the middle of November and were, in a majority of cases, made up before the cold snap. The only mention of damage by the freeze is found in the reports last received and it is possible that were a full account of the effect of the severe weather taken, the per centage of condition would be reduced. McCracken, the last county to report, states, "early wheat considerably damaged from late freeze."

In the counties of Breckinridge, Davies, Hardin, Larue and Owen the fly is reported as damaging early wheat.

#### CORN.

The corn crop is practically all cribbed in good condition. Very few correspondents consider the quality more than an average. Even from counties where the yield is reported largest complaints are made that the weight is not in proportion to bulk. The late corn in particular is of inferior quality.

The yield per acre averages 27 bushels, which is 1 bushel less than the normal average yield. The number of acres grown in the State for 1896, as shown by reports of County Assessors, is 2,475,321, as against 1,982,750 grown in 1895.

#### HEMP.

The features of the hemp crop, so far as developed, are an average damage of 8 per cent. from "brown rape" and a still further damage in shock of 7 per cent. from excessive rains.

Ten correspondents report the quality good; two report it an average; while two consider it bad. The defect most generally cited is a coarseness of growth and a consequent deterioration in quality of fibre.

The average yield per acre is 1,045 pounds.

#### HOGS.

The condition of feeding hogs averages 97, which is a considerable improvement since last report. 81 correspondents report hogs healthy and free from contagious diseases, while 65 report hog cholera prevailing.

In Logan county hogs are reported as dying from a new and very fatal disease. When first attacked they become stiff and finally die in convulsions.

#### CATTLE AND STOCK.

Other classes of live stock are reported in generally good condition. Pastures have held up remarkably well; very little feeding being necessary as yet.

Long fever is reported as prevalent among horses in Logan county, in many cases proving fatal. The supply of horses is generally considered in excess of the demand, and the price prevailing is unsatisfactory. For sheep, cattle and hogs, the demand is fully up to the supply.

The over-supply of horses and how to dispose of them is a serious problem in many sections.

#### FRUIT OUTLOOK.

The period of high temperature that prevailed during November was very injurious to fruit buds, notably peaches, cherries and plums. These buds have swelled to such an extent that they cannot withstand the full measure of cold. Apples and pear buds also show the effect of the forcing weather, but they are hardly at a lower temperature than we may ordinarily expect in this latitude. The present outlook is not flattering for stone fruit to say the least, while in the case of apples and pears there is yet no go and for serious apprehension.

#### STATISTICAL.

The acreage and yield of the various crops in the State for 1896 as compiled from the reports of the County Assessors are: Corn, 2,475,321 acres, producing 63,560,000 bushels. Wheat, 799,000 acres, producing 10,418,890 bushels. Of oats there was produced 4,025,614 bushels. Tobacco, 288,614 acres, produced 229,072,482 pounds. Hay, 409,820 acres produced 942,982 tons. The total for the Hemp crop is 8,840,717 pounds. There were also produced 96,067 bushels of Barley, 272,257 bushels of grass and clover seed.

The publication of monthly crop reports will close with this issue until the opening of the growing season next spring.

I desire to express my thanks and the obligation of the Bureau to the correspondents throughout the State and to solicit their further valuable services when the work is resumed.

#### LUCA MOORE,

Commissioner of Agriculture.

## IRVINGTON.

Miss Wila Drury, of Bewleyville, is spending a few days with friends in town. Miss Hanks, efficient schoolteacher, spent Sunday with relatives near Bewleyville.

Miss Nora Henderson is at home a few days until her pupils "regain their health."

Invitations are out for a social to be given by Miss Washington, Dec. 26, 5 to 10 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Major, of Louisville, are wintering at the Washington hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Will D. Cain have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in Hardin county.

Miss Beulah Bennett returned Saturday, having had an enjoyable visit at Springfield and Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McGlothlin and little Ernestine Drury are in Louisville on a pleasure trip, combined with business.

Bro. Fife will preach at the Methodist church next Saturday at 6:30 p. m., Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 6:30 p. m. Come out to hear him.

Mrs. C. A. Lehman will give an illustrated lecture at Irvington, Ky., Thursday Dec. 17, 3 p. m., at Baptist church, all fellow invited. Subject "Health and Hygiene."

Mrs. Bate Herndon, who has been confined to her bed for the past two weeks with rheumatism, are pleased to hear is improving, and hopes soon to be entirely well.

Miss Lulah Drake has had quite a serious attack of erysipelas and iodine poison, but thanks to the skill of our young M. D's, Messrs. Moorman and Bewley, she is rapidly improving.

Mrs. G. P. Jolly, of Hardinsburg, Mrs. Kay Watson, Mrs. John Wimp, of Lexington, and baby Catherine formed a pleasant coterie at the hospitable home and board of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Piggott near Bewleyville last Saturday.

The Superintendent of the M. E. church S. S. has decided to please the little ones Christmas by having a "tree" in the new church.

The Baptist Sunday School have been cordially invited to participate and the public at large will be welcome. A stinging exercise by the children and young people will precede the tree.

The young ladies of class No. 5 in the M. E. church have organized themselves into a sewing circle, the proceeds of which they contribute to the two Sunday Schools in town. Any one needing small articles such as convalescents, really made, can be supplied. Apply to Misses Mary Bandy or Mollie Lyons.

## CASTORIA.

The fact that it is in use everywhere.

## DUKES.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, of Louisville, Dec. 7, 1896, a fine girl.

J. J. Burnett and Edred Powers went to Hawesville Tuesday.

A large crowd attended the concert at the school-house Friday night.

Farmers had a few days this week suitable for handling their tobacco.

Quite a number from this neighborhood attended court at Hawesville Monday.

Tom Patterson, of Lawport, ex-Jailer, of Hancock county, will be a candidate for that office in 1897.

Mrs. Sarah West, of Louisville, after a pleasant visit of several weeks with relatives at this place, returned home Wednesday.

Messrs. Hendrix and Elder, of Hardinsburg, were the guests Saturday and Sunday, of Messrs. Annie and Lee McGowan.

John Jackson moved to Barker's store Wednesday. He expects to farm in that section next year. Mr. Jackson is an industrious farmer and we wish him success.

Rev. S. J. Ritchey commenced a series of meetings here Saturday night. Every christian should arise above world and ask God to help them discharge every duty and to reward their efforts with the shout of new born souls.

Mr. Editor, news seems to be scarce this week than usual. Can't account for it. Everybody seems to be in a good humor. Tugboats are just as lively as they were last week, the boys are as ready to wait upon them when they will let them as they were this time last year; the widowers are stepping around as nimbly as a kangaroo with a coil of fire on its back; the weather is as pleasant as one could wish for; everybody has killed hogs and have had one square meal of backbones and spare ribs and tins are as hard as they were before the election and going to get a heap harder, harder and harder.

DR. BELL'S PNEUMONIA-HONEY

Advances a New Theory in the Treatment of All Cough, Lung and Bronchial Troubles—It Cures, and Cures Quickly.

Absolutely harmless and pleasant to take. It cuts loose the mucus and allows it to be spit off without exerting or straining and stops the cough at once by soothing the inflamed parts; gives vigor and vitality to the respiratory organs and produces a condition in which all the functions are exerted with regularity and harmony.

## FORDSVILLE.

Mr. Lon Johnson went to Rockport, Ind., Saturday.

Prof. C. M. Crowe spent Friday and Saturday in Fordville.

Mr. Ed Quisenberry went to Louisville, Tuesday, to purchase stock.

Why is Mr. Will Wedding repairing his property on Main street?

Little Bessie McChen, who has been sick for some time, is improving.

Mr. John Hayes traded his mules, and now drives two lovely black horses.

Mrs. Fred Cooper purchased a fine riding horse from her brother, Mark Smith.

Mrs. Ed Q's mule went to Owensboro, Monday, to see her sister, Mrs. C. Smith.

On the 25th, of Dec., the boys of this place, will entertain the people in their "Sagra Minstrel."

The protracted meeting closed Friday night on account of the illness of the preacher's wife and daughter.

Mrs. J. R. Reynolds was surprised last week by a visit from a sister, whom she had not seen for twenty years.

Mrs. C. Smith came home to spend a few days. Her health is improving. She will return to Owensboro, Monday.

W. H. Sargent and son, Willie, went to Rockport, Ind., Saturday. The latter will spend a few days with relatives in that city.

The young people, of Fordville, are going to give an entertainment Christmas eve, entitled, "Dot, the Miner's Daughter."

The school closes here next Friday, and Prof. Crowe will leave immediately for Florida. We wish him success in "the land of flowers."

G. N. Grant, a prominent druggist, of Grant, Boone county, Ky., in sending in a nice order, writes: "It is the best seller I have in stock. I sell a dozen bottles of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar-Honey to one of any other kind of medicine."

## GARRETT.

One of J. G. Ruby's horses died this week.

Dr. Miles is confined to his room with la grippe.

Miss Lulu Crutcher went to Brandenburg Monday.

G. R. Miles went to Brandenburg Monday on business.

Mrs. Buckler and daughter spent Sunday in Carmichael.

Mrs. Wells and baby went to Brandenburg Monday shopping.

Miss Mannie B. Sipes is spending this week with Mrs. G. R. Miles.

Mr. Clemens, of Siltion, was in this neighborhood this week buying stock.

Mr. Henry Funk and wife spent Sunday evening here with his brother, John.

Mrs. N. Howell and mother, Mrs. Waynill, spent Monday at Mrs. H. L. Rhodes.

Miss Lulu Crutcher and Miss Frank Conway went Friday to visit the latter's mother.

Miss Julia and Minnie Ritchie spent one evening this week with Miss Lulu Crutcher.

D. W. Burch and wife, of Hill Grove, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Laura Burch.

Mrs. Mannie Rickets and children, of near Brandenburg, spent Sunday with J. C. Crutcher and sisters.

Mr. Shacklett, of Ekron, representing D. W. Baldwin & Co., of Louisville, was in this vicinity this week.

Mrs. Dr. Miles and Miss Frank Conway went in Payneville and neighborhood Saturday and Sunday.

THE DREADED CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED.

T. A. Slocum, M. C. of the Great Chemist and Scientist, Will Send Free Three Bottles of His New Discovery Remedies to Sufferers.

FORDS BUCKENRIDGE NEWS—I have discovered a reliable cure for Consumption and all bronchial, throat and lung diseases, general debility, loss of flesh and all conditions of wasting away. By its timely use thousands of apparently hopeless cases have been cured. So

proof-positive am I of its power to cure, that to make its merits known, I will send, free, to any afflicted reader of your paper, three bottles of my newly discovered remedies upon receipt of express and post-office address—T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 108 Pine Street, New York.

When writing the Doctor, mention this paper.

## AXTEL.

Farmers are nearly through gathering corn.

One of J. G. Ruby's horses died this week.

John Wilson has moved to his father-in-law's, J. R. Crutcher's.

Frank Rhodes, of McDaniel, was here last week the guest of E. G. Bennett.

Miss Mattie Jarvie is very sick with typhoid fever.

Frank G. King & Co., of Franklin, Ky., says that Dr. Bell's Pine Tar-Honey has taken the lead through that section. They write that it gives universal satisfaction and verify it is report by old ridge more.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength—Latest United States Government Food Report.

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## GLENDEANE.

Utopia Honor Roll

These pupils are entitled to a place on the Roll of Honor for the month just ended. It is made upon their attendance, punctuality, recitations, and deportments. No one in the principal's room who made an average below 95 is included. They are named in the order of their standing.

Mary Peyton, Paul Dempster, Hallie Moorman, Sallie Robertson, May Twister, Robert Moorman, Monna Hunter, Martha Lou Powell, Rosalind Moorman, Mary Moorman, Alma Mattingly, Ella G. Robertson, Elliott Moorman, Harry Moorman, Emma D. Moorman, Daisy Deane, Roy Moorman, Walter Moorman, Ollie Hoskins, Bessie Moorman, Otter Owen, Henry Moorman Jr., Henry Moorman Sr., Nellie Moorman, Johnnie Hoskins, Jennie Rhodes, Glen Moorman, Joe D. Owen, Ada Mattingly, Edie Moorman and Carrie Bishop.

The following in the assistant's room made 95 per cent. or more, general average: Silva Mattingly, Luke Clark, Floyd Armstrong, James Johnson, Sarah Burnett, Ben Burnett, Mattie Willis, Theodosia Mattingly, Martin Johnson, Vandermere Powell, Maude Mattingly, Meyer Smith, Nora Hoskins, and Annie Harper.

Mrs. Mary Peyton is the first one of our pupils to average 100 per cent. for an entire month. Let others emulate her example next month.

Teachers: J. O. H. Fife, Miss Alice Brown.

Produce wanted. Best of prices paid for produce—Julian H. Brown.

Full line staple and fancy groceries, confectioneries, breads, etc., at all times at Julian H. Brown's.

Cash paid for produce. Will sell goods as cheap as anybody's and get my prices—Julian H. Brown.

# HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS

## SANTA CLAUS

Will hold high carnival here from now until Christmas Eve, and all the pretty things that we have gathered together for Xmas gifts, bear the stamp of his approval both as regards to quality and price.

### HANDSOME

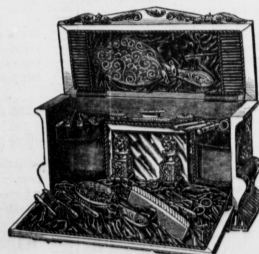
Toilet Cases, Photo Albums, Work Boxes  
Pretty Celluloid Novelties, and a nice assortment of Booklets, Christmas Cards, Calendars, etc.

### Bibles and Testaments.

Are always very appropriate gifts at Christmas time, and we have a really excellent line for you to select from.

### Dolls for the Children.

We have large dolls and small dolls and in fact any kind of dolls that the little doll people will want. Come and see them, then it will not be hard for you to make selections.



A  
Pretty  
Line  
Of  
Fine  
Papeteries  
Suitable  
For Xmas  
Gifts.



### Collar & Cuff Boxes.

They are very pretty as well as useful and he will appreciate the gift immensely.

### Good Things to Eat.

We will have a specially nice and select stock of all kinds of Fruits and Nuts, and enough Candy for everybody. Remember that we make a specialty of Fine Candies, and the Xmas Box will be just right if bought here.

Jno. D. Babbage,

CLOVERPORT, KY.

### Pretty Mirrors

Handsome ones for the older folks and pretty ones for the younger folks. Either one are here.

### Toys

Remember that we are headquarters for toys. They have always been one of our specialties, and any kind of toys you want and the nicest toys that are out you will find here.



We have a pretty line of picture frames, some at small prices and some more expensive, at any rate you'll find just what you want here.











## RUSH IF YOU WANT 'EM

Last week our stock of Holiday Goods was opened to the public, great throngs visited our store to see the magnificent displays. It was one of the largest we have ever made and this is saying a great deal, as we, each year have had splendid ones. But this year we ourselves acknowledge it's surpemaey over all others.



## To-day You See It, To-morrow It's Gone

As the lady said yesterday when she had some pretty novelties laid aside for her. How aggravating it is to come back after something you saw yesterday and find it gone. But an army of enthusiastic buyers are passing down the counters, gathering gifts for the loved ones. Here's a present for Father, and then one for Mother, then Sister and Brother and then there's the girl's best fellow, and the fellow's best girl, they are all out seeking for something for a gift. No wonder the crowds grow bigger each day and the shelves are growing emptier. If you want a present COME THIS WEEK.



### THE JAPANESE.

Curious, quaint people ain't they. To see them on exhibition one would not think they could do anything, yet they excel all other nations in fine delicate Chinaware. We have just received direct from this land of curious people a line of Tokio



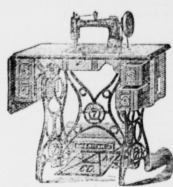
ware for delicacy and richness, was never seen in this city before. In this line is some of the quaintest designs you ever saw. If you want a rare present, here is a chance to get one that is high up in the pottery art. Admirers of this ware will do well to see this line at once.

### CLOTHING



Deception distroys confidence. Integrity wins it. Our suits are of tested good standard quality, reliable, with the nicest of cut. We often wonder if the men and boys who come here were made to fit our clothes. Then there are our Overcoats, Shirts and nice Hats, Ties, Collars and Cuffs, all come in for their share of praise, they all make fine Christmas presents and great stacks to select from

### CLOTHING



### Childs Sewing Machine.

Little girls here is the boss present of the season. A real Sewing Machine that does the work of a \$40 or \$50 machine. No parts to get out of order.

The machine is almost like the picture here except it has no drawers as shown in the engraving, yet as to the sewing quality it can't be beat. Make your own clothes and dollies too. Learn the little ones to sew, it will give them ideas that will be a benefit to them when grown. Only two more left.

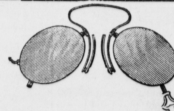


### What A

Happy Christmas it will be to all assembled in the parlor clad in good warm shoes from our Shoe Department. Make some happy with a pair of Shoes.

### WASH LINENS.

Never has any house-keeper too much Linen around the house. Why not surprise mother with some new Table Cloths, Towels or Napkins. In the way of choice linens for table use we are hard to beat. Come and see.



Grand-ma and Grand-pa would like a good pair of Spectacles for Xmas.

### Chinaware



This week we offer a new line of the high grade ware such as Royal, Worcester, Beeleke, Dresden and Royal Crown. In this high art in China you will find such useful articles as Berry Bowls, Salads and Orange Bowls, Comports in the Delph Style, Ice Cream Sets, Baking Sets, Celery Trays, Cake Plates, Bone Plates Desert Plates, Artistic Designs in Pitchers. All the latest novelties in Delph ware. We in this line carry only the very latest culled from all the great distributing points, therefore giving you the cream of selection. Don't miss seeing the new novelties in Ice Cream and Baking Sets.

### SPORTING GOODS.

How about a nice Fishing Rod or a Gun, nothing better to please a large boy than one of these presents. Come and let us show you a good outfit.



### Candy, Fruits and Nuts.

Great stacks of them for the Holidays. Leave your orders with us for this line.

### How About a Fancy Basket

Of Fruit and Candy to send to your girl. Our window dresser trims all our baskets and they are beauties. Price to suit all purses



## Nearly a Month Of Christmas

And this store was full of it? The pleasure of anticipation of getting ready are best of all. We do our best to make our store seem like wandering in Fairy land. Beauty everywhere, no wonder every child claims an interest in our store. All eyes for the last six weeks has been on us. But to serve the people right has been our aim. No business have built upon a surer foundation than the business of this establishment. Come and See. Everything just as advertised.

# SULZER'S

### GROCERY DEPARTMENT.



At our family board then let joy only reign,  
Where, parents and children, we've met once again.  
Let us live o'er the past, forget all our sorrow,  
Be joyous to-day, e'en though grief come to-morrow.

### AIN'T THAT RIGHT?

Can't live this life but once, then why not enjoy it, we have in our Grocery Department lots to eat. Get every thing needful for Christmas cooking.







A SPECIAL DISCOVERY.

OHIO, Nov. 15.—An extraordinary astronomical discovery has just shocked the scientific world. Last night Prof. Secor caught sight of a comet of the first magnitude. As its brilliant tail flashed through the heavens the Professor, to his profound astonishment, found that the name of S. T. MOORE COMPANY, Manufacturers' Agents, was inscribed in firey letters, together with full list of the LATEST CONSIGNMENTS of Furniture, Carpets, Show Cases, Mirrors, Pictures, Pianos, Fine and Medium Parlor Suites, Reception and Turkish Chairs, Lounges, Rockers, Hall Racks, Stands, Odd Tables, China Closets, Parlor Cabinets, Leather-seat Rockers, Easels, Upholstered Cane and Rattan Parlor Suites, Etchings, Steel Engravings, Oil Paintings, Commodities, Blacking Cases, Bed Chamber Suits in Plain, Medium Antique, High Polish, Quarter-sawn Oak and Mahogany; also an endless variety of White Enamelled Iron and Brass Bedsteads, with suite complete, fancy designs, well made and finished. Saloon Fixtures, Office Desks and Furniture, and nine different makes and forty-seven different styles of Fine Folding Beds that you can get at your own price and on terms that can not be bettered, not forgetting that we pay freight on all goods within 200 miles of Louisville.

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## BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1896.

### Educational Column.

COMPILED BY K. HANCOCK AND M. A. SMITH, HANCOCK, INDIANA.

In this column, we shall endeavor to have collected and answered such questions as will be of interest and benefit to the teachers and pupils of common schools.

All teachers are respectfully urged to contribute short articles, not exceeding six words, written on one side of the paper, on topics pertaining to Public School work.

All communications concerning this column should be forwarded to the above address.

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

1. Who wrote the Constitution of the United States?

Ans.—Conventor Morris penned the Constitution.

2. How many territories are there now?

Ans.—We presume the question means the number of territories within the present limits of the United States. There are four, viz., Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

3. Who was called the "Sage of Monticello"?

Ans.—Thomas Jefferson.

4. What European countries did Julius Caesar conquer?

Ans.—Cæsar conquered France, Switzerland, Belgium and a part of the Netherlands.

5. What was the form of government at Rome after the death of Cæsar?

Ans.—Rome became an empire after the death of Cæsar.

6. Explain how a minority of a people may elect a President?

Ans.—The electors may be chosen by small majorities in some states and by large majorities in others.

### TEACHING AND GOVERNING.

Some teachers teach well, some govern well, some do neither well. Aims for the children, who, according to law, must go to the last named class, will be neither governed nor taught is indeed a calamity. The best teachers know how to teach and govern. But the question arises, how may young teachers learn to teach well? (Few old teachers learn.)

First: We must love the work. The best teachers are those who have devoted to engage in the work as a life business. Be in the profession to stay or get out at once, would be a good thing for the children. No teacher will climb very high on the ladder of success, who expects to practice law, to sell goods or to farm next year, or the year after. Yes, we need a double portion of that spirit, which in homely phrase is called "stick-to-itiveness." Though we may not win the "stamp and the esteem of ages" the teaching profession is well worthy of our noblest efforts and best talent.

Second: We must know something to teach. Nothing in the way of fact, industry common sense, goodness of heart, etc., can supply the want of scholarship. It follows then that extensive preparation is absolutely necessary. We must have a knowledge of text books far beyond what we expect to teach. We must come to our work from highest ground. We must feel that we have some reserve power for emergencies and emergencies arise in teaching.

### CASTORIA.

It is the best medicine for children.

Third Grade—Ray Heyser.  
Second Grade—Maude Polk and Mattie Willis.  
First Grade—Alma Perkins.  
J. H. B. Logan, Principal.

Bob Woods Gave Another Soft Kick.  
Sunday's Courier-Journal says: Mr. R. E. Woods, the present Assistant County Attorney, was yesterday appointed Auditor's Agent for Louisville and Jefferson county, a place paying now about \$1,200 a year. Formerly the place was a very fat one and netted some \$10,000 a year. When the law cutting down fees of the Auditor's agent was passed, however, the value fell considerably.

Mr. Woods formerly lived in Breckenridge county. He is now one of the best lawyers at the Louisville bar. He will continue to fill the place of Assistant County Attorney. Mr. Woods' friends are urging him to make the race for Commonwealth's Attorney next year, and he will probably do so.

**There is Nothing So Good.**  
There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, no demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you some substitute. He will not claim there is anything better, but in order to make more profit he may claim something else to be just as good. You want Dr. King's New Discovery because you know it to be safe and reliable, and guaranteed to do good or money is refunded. For Coughs, Colds, Consumption and for all affections of the Throat, Chest and Lungs, there is nothing so good as Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bottle free at A. R. Fisher's Drug Store. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.

**Report of District No. 17, for Nov.**  
No. enrolled up to date ..... 47  
Average attendance for month ..... 23  
Fifth Grade—Emma May, 95; Cliff Stinnett, 95; Alma Jolly, 95; Mattie Dalton, 94; Cora Robbins, 94; Ben Blair, 94; Ben Brown, 95; Ruben Brown, 94; Ollie Jolly, 80; Nellie Bell, 88; Rhoda Blair, 88; Dan Macy, 87.  
Fourth Grade—Annie Meador, 96; Arthur Stinnett, 96; Ella Blair, 94; Bessie Bell, 93; Orlie Robbins, 90; Zora Blair, 87.  
Third Grade—Blanche Blair, 89; Clennie Meador, 93; Mattie Jolly, 85; Will Macy, 87; Mamie Robbins, 75; Finie Meador, 87.  
Second Grade—Frank Macy, 93; Will Dalton, 91; Vermont Robbins, 81.  
First Grade—Jessie Aldridge, 93; Grace Simmons, 92; Frank Aldridge, 93; Jessie Stinnett, 88; Nevada Robbins, 87; Michael Smoot, 83; Richard Aldridge, 83; Riley Blair, 81; Edgar B. H. 80; Meador Simmons 81.  
Primary—Mary Dalton, 90; Annie Blair, 90; M. Macy, 95; Annie West, 89; Cleveland Blair, 84; Riva Blair, 80; Novel Blair, 80.  
H. C. Jolly, Teacher.

**Report of Clifton Mills School.**  
Fifth Grade—Ethel Beard, 93; Emma Aldridge, 93; Fred Jordan, 93; Alma Jendoff, 90; Mattie Basham, 92.5; Beulah Morelock, 91; Forest Haddock, 90; Herbert Haddock, 95; Lucy Adkins, 85; Lee Wheeler, 86.  
Fourth Grade—Lillian Rademaker, 88; Rosa Rademaker, 90; Jessie Harris, 91; Jessie Hatfield, 89; Mamie Beard, 86; Arlee Basham, 92; Lena Parks, 90; Elvira Parks, 87; O. Basham, 90; Pres Haynes, 80.  
Only the fourth and fifth grades were examined. This is the average they made in all the branches.  
NELLIE GOODMAN, Teacher.

**School Report.**  
RAYMOND—The following is a report of the Raymond school, for the month ending Dec. 4, 1896. Those receiving the highest grade being given.  
Grade 5—Rosa Hendry, 97; Albert Knott, 94; Winfield Hendry, 91; Francis Murphy, 88; Carleton Hart, 87; Amiee Cashman, 85.  
Grade 4—Otto Mercer, 88; Dollie Claycomb, 96; Addie Knott, 92; Blanche Hall, 91; Clayton Gregory, 87; Rebecca Hall, 87; O. Cooney, 86.  
Grade 3—Hettie Murphy, 93; Ivy

**Mr. E. D. Jenkins, of Lithonia, Ga., says that his daughter, Ida, inherited a severe case of Eczema, which the usual mercury and potash remedies failed to relieve. Year by year she was treated with various medicines, external applications and internal remedies, without result. Her sufferings were steady. The all-so-called blood remedies did not seem to reach the disease at all until S. S. S. was used. The medicine was continued with favorable results, and now she is cured sound and well, her skin is perfectly clear and pure and she has been saved from what threatened to blight her life forever.**

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